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Honorable Gerard E. Lynch
United States District Court
Southern District of New York
500 Pearl Street
New York, NY 10007

Re: *Twana Adams, et al. v. New York State Education Department, et al.*
Docket No. 08-CV-5996(UA)
Our File No. 17056

Dear Judge Lynch:

Our firm represents the following defendants in this action: Douglas Bantle s/h/a Douglass Bantle; Stuart Bauchner; Alan Berg; Mary Crangle; Howard Edelman; Deborah M. Gaines; Eleanor Glandstein s/h/a Eleanor Glanstein; Joshua Javits s/h/a Joshua Javitz; Eric Lawson; Andrée McKissick s/h/a Andree McKissick; Randi Lowitt; Earl Pfeffer; Arthur Riegel; Martin Scheinman; Jack Tillem; Bonnie Siber-Weinstock; and Paul Zonderman. We have notified the United States Marshal's Service, the Clerk of the Court, and counsel for the other parties that we have waived service on behalf of all of our clients. Additionally, we have filed a Pre-Answer Motion to Dismiss the Complaint. Pursuant to the Court's individual practices, we will send courtesy copies to your attention when the Reply is served.

We respectfully request that oral argument be scheduled on our Motion to Dismiss. It is our position that discovery is not necessary for the disposition of this motion, but if the Court is inclined to direct that discovery proceed during the pendency of the motion, then we respectfully request that a conference be scheduled in order to discuss the matter.

Thank you for your attention to this case.

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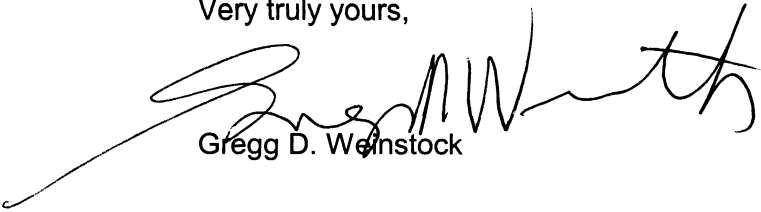
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